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# Proof of two conjectures of Móricz on double trigonometric series

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## Abstract

We use a unified approach to obtain several integrability theorems of Boas [R.P. Boas, Integrability of trigonometric series, I, Duke Math. J. 18 (1951) 787–793]. In particular, we settle two conjectures of Móricz [F. Móricz, On the integrability of double cosine and sine series, II, J. Math. Anal. Appl. 154 (1991) 466–483] concerning double trigonometric series.

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## 1. Introduction

Let  $\{b_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  be a sequence of real numbers such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n = 0$  and  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |b_k - b_{k+1}|$  converges. It is well known that the sine series  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k \sin kx$  converges for all  $x \in [0, \pi]$ . Boas [1] proved that  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{b_k}{k}$  converges if and only if  $\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0^+} \int_{\delta}^{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k \sin kx \, dx$  exists. Consequently, he proved that if  $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k$  is an absolutely convergent series of real numbers and  $\frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k = 0$ , then  $\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0^+} \int_{\delta}^{\pi} \frac{1}{x} (\frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k \cos kx) \, dx$  exists if and only if  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k} (\frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{j=1}^k a_j)$  converges.

The object of this paper is to use a unified method to extend the aforementioned results to higher dimensions; in particular, we give affirmative answers to two conjectures of Móricz [3] concerning double trigonometric series.

This paper is organized as follows. In Section 2 we deal with the one-dimensional case separately since it is straightforward and we get a good prospect of the general situation. In Section 3 we give some preliminaries on which all our subsequent reasoning depends. In Section 4 we obtain a crucial result concerning rectangular multiple series; see Theorem 4.3 for details. In Sections 5 and 6, we apply Theorem 4.3 to extend the above-mentioned Boas' results from one-dimensional to  $m$ -dimensional trigonometric series.

## 2. One-dimensional case

The main result of this section is Theorem 2.2 whose proof depends on the following well-known Dirichlet's test.

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**Theorem 2.1.** Let  $\{u_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$  and  $\{v_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$  be two sequences of real numbers. If  $\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} |\sum_{k=1}^n u_k|$  is finite,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} v_n = 0$  and  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |v_k - v_{k+1}|$  converges, then  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} u_k v_k$  converges and

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} u_k v_k = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (v_k - v_{k+1}) \sum_{j=1}^k u_j.$$

**Theorem 2.2.** Let  $\{c_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$  be a sequence of real numbers such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} c_n = 0$  and  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |c_k - c_{k+1}|$  converges. If  $\{\Phi_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \subset C[0, \pi]$  and

$$\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \|\Phi_n\|_{C[0, \pi]} + \sup_{0 < x < \pi} \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left| \frac{\Phi_n(x) - \Phi_n(0)}{nx} \right| + \sup_{x \in [0, \pi]} \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left| \sum_{k=1}^n x \Phi_k(x) \right| < \infty,$$

then  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{c_k \Phi_k(x)}{k}$  converges for all  $x \in (0, \pi]$ . Moreover,

$$\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0^+} \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^{\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta} \rfloor} \frac{c_k \Phi_k(0)}{k} - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{c_k \Phi_k(\delta)}{k} \right\} = 0. \quad (1)$$

**Proof.** The first assertion is a consequence of Dirichlet's test. To prove (1) we may assume that the sequence  $\{c_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$  is decreasing and

$$\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \|\Phi_n\|_{C[0, \pi]} + \sup_{0 < x < \pi} \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left| \frac{\Phi_n(x) - \Phi_n(0)}{nx} \right| + \sup_{x \in [0, \pi]} \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left| \sum_{k=1}^n x \Phi_k(x) \right| \leq \frac{1}{2}.$$

Let  $\delta \in (0, 1)$  and let  $\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta} \rfloor$  be the greatest integer less or equal to  $\frac{1}{\delta}$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \sum_{k=1}^{\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta} \rfloor} \frac{c_k \Phi_k(0)}{k} - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{c_k \Phi_k(\delta)}{k} \right| &\leq \sum_{k=1}^{\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta} \rfloor} c_k \left| \frac{\Phi_k(\delta) - \Phi_k(0)}{k} \right| + \left| \sum_{k=\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta} \rfloor + 1}^{\infty} \frac{c_k \Phi_k(\delta)}{k} \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta} \rfloor} \sum_{k=1}^{\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta} \rfloor} c_k + \frac{1}{\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta} \rfloor} c_{\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta} \rfloor} \sup_{n \geq \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta} \rfloor + 1} \left| \sum_{k=\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta} \rfloor + 1}^n \Phi_k(\delta) \right| \\ &\leq \frac{1}{\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta} \rfloor} \sum_{k=1}^{\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta} \rfloor} c_k + 2c_{\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta} \rfloor}. \end{aligned}$$

It is now clear that the assumption  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} c_n = 0$  implies (1). The proof is complete.  $\square$

The following results of Boas are immediate consequences of Theorem 2.2. Incidentally, we correct a small error (cf. [1, p. 792, lines 1–2]) in the proof of [1, Theorem 3(b)].

**Theorem 2.3.** (See [1, Theorem 3(b)].) Let  $\{b_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$  be a sequence of real numbers such that  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} b_k = 0$  and  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |b_k - b_{k+1}|$  converges. Then  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{b_k}{k}$  converges if and only if  $\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0^+} \int_{\delta}^{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k \sin kx \, dx$  exists.

**Proof.** We apply Theorem 2.2 with  $c_k = b_k$  and  $\Phi_k(x) = \int_x^{\pi} k \sin kt \, dt$  to conclude that  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k \frac{1 - (-1)^k}{k}$  converges if and only if  $\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0^+} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{b_k}{k} \int_{\delta}^{\pi} k \sin kt \, dt$  exists. Since it is well known that  $\int_{\delta}^{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k \sin kx \, dx = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \int_{\delta}^{\pi} b_k \sin kx \, dx$  for all  $0 < \delta < \pi$  and the series  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{b_k}{k}$  converges by Dirichlet's test, the theorem is proved.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.4.** (See [1, Theorem 3(a)].) Let  $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k$  be an absolutely convergent series of real numbers. If  $\frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k = 0$ , then  $\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0^+} \int_{\delta}^{\pi} \frac{1}{x} (\frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k \cos kx) \, dx$  exists if and only if  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k} (\frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{r=1}^k a_r)$  converges.

**Proof.** Let  $\lambda_0 := \frac{1}{2}$  and  $\lambda_k := 1$  ( $k \in \mathbb{N}$ ). If  $x \in (0, \pi]$ , then our assumptions and Theorem 2.1 yield

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{x} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \lambda_k a_k \cos kx &= -\frac{1}{x} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k (1 - \cos kx) \\ &= -\frac{1}{x} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{j=k}^{\infty} a_j \right) (\cos(k-1)x - \cos kx) \\ &= \frac{1}{x} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{j=0}^{k-1} \lambda_j a_j \right) (\cos(k-1)x - \cos kx) \\ &= \frac{a_0(1 - \cos x)}{2x} + G(x) \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{j=0}^k \lambda_j a_j \right) \sin \left( k + \frac{1}{2} \right) x, \end{aligned}$$

where  $G(x) := \frac{2 \sin \frac{x}{2}}{x}$ . Therefore

$$\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0^+} \left\{ \int_{\delta}^{\pi} \frac{1}{x} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \lambda_k a_k \cos kx \, dx - \int_{\delta}^{\pi} G(x) \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{j=0}^k \lambda_j a_j \right) \sin \left( k + \frac{1}{2} \right) x \, dx \right\} \text{ exists.} \quad (2)$$

In view of (2) it remains to show that  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k} \left( \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{r=1}^k a_r \right)$  converges if and only if

$$\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0^+} \int_{\delta}^{\pi} G(x) \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{j=0}^k \lambda_j a_j \right) \sin \left( k + \frac{1}{2} \right) x \, dx \text{ exists.}$$

Direct computations yield

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sup_{x \in [0, \pi]} \left| \int_x^{\pi} n G(t) \sin \left( n + \frac{1}{2} \right) t \, dt \right| &\leq (1 + \|G'\|_{L^1[0, \pi]}) \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sup_{x \in [0, \pi]} \left| \frac{n \cos(n + \frac{1}{2})x}{n + \frac{1}{2}} \right| < \infty, \\ \sup_{x \in (0, \pi)} \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \frac{1}{nx} \left| \int_0^x n G(t) \sin \left( n + \frac{1}{2} \right) t \, dt \right| &< \infty, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\sup_{x \in [0, \pi]} \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left| x \sum_{k=1}^n \int_x^{\pi} k G(t) \sin \left( k + \frac{1}{2} \right) t \, dt \right| \leq 2\pi \|G'\|_{L^1[0, \pi]} + 2\pi^2 < \infty,$$

so we can apply Theorem 2.2 with  $c_k = \sum_{j=1}^k \lambda_j a_j$  and  $\Phi_k(x) = \int_x^{\pi} k G(t) \sin(k + \frac{1}{2})t \, dt$  to conclude that  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k} \left( \sum_{j=0}^k \lambda_j a_j \right) \int_0^{\pi} k G(t) \sin(k + \frac{1}{2})t \, dt$  converges if and only if  $\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0^+} \int_{\delta}^{\pi} \frac{1}{x} \left( \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k \cos kx \right) dx$  exists. Since  $|\frac{1}{k} - \int_0^{\pi} G(x) \sin(k + \frac{1}{2})x \, dx| = O(\frac{1}{k^2})$  for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  and the assumption  $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} |\lambda_k a_k| < \infty$  holds, the theorem follows.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.5.** (See [1, Theorem 1(a)].) If  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k$  is an absolutely convergent series of real numbers, then  $\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0^+} \int_{\delta}^{\pi} \frac{1}{x} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k \sin kx \, dx$  exists.

**Proof.** The proof is similar to that of Theorem 2.4.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.6.** (See [1, Theorem 1(b)].) Let  $\{a_k\}_{k=0}^{\infty}$  be a sequence of real numbers such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$  and  $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} |a_k - a_{k+1}|$  converges. Then  $\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0^+} \int_{\delta}^{\pi} \left( \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k \cos kx \right) dx$  exists.

**Proof.** The proof is similar to that of Theorem 2.3.  $\square$

### 3. Some preliminaries concerning multiple rectangular series

Unless specified otherwise,  $m \geq 2$  is always a fixed positive integer. Each point  $(x_1, \dots, x_m)$  in  $\mathbb{R}^m$  is usually denoted by the corresponding bold letter  $\mathbf{x}$ . For  $\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m$ , write  $\mathbf{p} \leq \mathbf{q}$  or  $\mathbf{q} \geq \mathbf{p}$  if and only if  $p_i \leq q_i$  for each  $i \in \{1, \dots, m\}$ .

**Definition 3.1.** (See [2].) Let  $\{u_{\mathbf{k}}: \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m\}$  be a multiple sequence of real numbers. We consider the following (formal) multiple series:

$$\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} u_{\mathbf{k}} := \sum_{k_1=1}^{\infty} \cdots \sum_{k_m=1}^{\infty} u_{k_1, \dots, k_m}. \quad (3)$$

(i) For each  $\mathbf{n} \in \mathbb{N}^m$ , the rectangular  $\mathbf{n}$  partial sum of (3) is given by

$$\sum_{1 \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{n}} u_{\mathbf{k}} := \sum_{k_1=1}^{n_1} \cdots \sum_{k_m=1}^{n_m} u_{k_1, \dots, k_m}.$$

(ii) The multiple series (3) *converges in Pringsheim's sense* to a real number  $s$  if for each  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exists an integer  $N(\varepsilon) \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$\left| \sum_{1 \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{n}} u_{\mathbf{k}} - s \right| < \varepsilon$$

whenever  $\min\{n_1, \dots, n_m\} \geq N(\varepsilon)$ .

(iii) The multiple series (3) *converges regularly* if for each  $\varepsilon > 0$  there exists  $N(\varepsilon) \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$\left| \sum_{\mathbf{p} \leq \mathbf{k} \leq \mathbf{q}} u_{\mathbf{k}} \right| < \varepsilon$$

whenever  $\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q} \in \mathbb{N}^m$  with  $\mathbf{q} \geq \mathbf{p}$  and  $\max\{p_1, \dots, p_m\} \geq N(\varepsilon)$ .

**Theorem 3.2.** (See [2, Theorem 1].) Let  $\{u_{\mathbf{k}}: \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m\}$  be a multiple sequence of real numbers. The multiple series  $\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} u_{\mathbf{k}}$  is regularly convergent if and only if

- (i)  $\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} u_{\mathbf{k}}$  converges in Pringsheim's sense, and
- (ii) for each choice of the index  $j \in \{1, \dots, m\}$  and for all fixed integral values of  $c_j$ , the  $(m-1)$ -multiple series

$$\sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ k_j = c_j}} u_{\mathbf{k}}$$

are regularly convergent.

In order to formulate a multidimensional analogue of Theorem 2.1, we need some notations. Let  $\{v_{\mathbf{k}}: \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m\}$  be a multiple sequence of real numbers. For  $j \in \{1, \dots, m\}$ , set  $\Delta_{\emptyset}(v_{\mathbf{k}}) := v_{\mathbf{k}}$  and

$$\Delta_j(v_{k_1, \dots, k_m}) := v_{k_1, \dots, k_{j-1}, k_j, k_{j+1}, \dots, k_m} - v_{k_1, \dots, k_{j-1}, k_j+1, k_{j+1}, \dots, k_m}.$$

For  $\{j_1, \dots, j_s\} \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}$ , set

$$\Delta_{\{j_1, \dots, j_s\}}(v_{\mathbf{k}}) := \Delta_{j_1}(\cdots (\Delta_{j_s}(v_{\mathbf{k}})) \cdots).$$

Set  $\|\mathbf{x}\| = \max_{i=1, \dots, m} |x_i|$  ( $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^m$ ). The following theorem is essential [2, Theorem 3].

**Theorem 3.3.** Let  $\{v_k: k \in \mathbb{N}^m\}$  be a multiple sequences of real numbers such that  $\lim_{\|\mathbf{n}\| \rightarrow \infty} v_n = 0$  and the multiple series  $\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} |\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(v_k)|$  converges. If the rectangular partial sums of the series (3) are bounded, then the multiple series  $\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} u_k v_k$  converges regularly and

$$\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} u_k v_k = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} \left\{ \Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(v_k) \sum_{1 \leq j \leq k} u_j \right\}; \quad (4)$$

the multiple series on the right being absolutely convergent.

#### 4. A multidimensional analogue of Theorem 2.2

The main result of this section is Theorem 4.3, which is an  $m$ -dimensional analogue of Theorem 2.2. We need the following lemmas.

**Lemma 4.1.** Let  $\{c_k: k \in \mathbb{N}^m\}$  be a multiple sequence of real numbers such that  $\lim_{\|\mathbf{n}\| \rightarrow \infty} c_n = 0$  and the multiple series  $\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} |\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_k)|$  converges. Then there exist two multiple sequences  $\{c_{1,k}: k \in \mathbb{N}^m\}$ ,  $\{c_{2,k}: k \in \mathbb{N}^m\}$  of non-negative numbers such that

- (a)  $c_k = c_{1,k} - c_{2,k}$  for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}^m$ ,
- (b)  $\lim_{\|\mathbf{n}\| \rightarrow \infty} c_{1,n} = \lim_{\|\mathbf{n}\| \rightarrow \infty} c_{2,n} = 0$ , and
- (c) for  $i = 1, 2$ ,  $0 \leq \Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_{i,k}) \leq |\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_k)|$  for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}^m$ .

**Proof.** For each  $i = 1, 2$  and  $k \in \mathbb{N}^m$ , we set

$$c_{i,k} := \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \sum_{r \geq k} (|\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_r)| + (-1)^{i-1} \Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_r)) \right\}.$$

Then it is clear that assertions (a)–(c) hold.  $\square$

**Lemma 4.2.** If  $u_1, \dots, u_m$  and  $v_1, \dots, v_m$  are real numbers, then

$$\left| \prod_{i=1}^m u_i - \prod_{i=1}^m v_i \right| \leq \sum_{j=1}^m \left( \prod_{i=1}^{j-1} |u_i| \right) \left( \prod_{i=j+1}^m |v_i| \right) |v_j - u_j|.$$

**Proof.** Use induction on  $m$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 4.3.** Let  $\{c_k: k \in \mathbb{N}^m\}$  be a multiple sequence of real numbers such that  $\lim_{\|\mathbf{n}\| \rightarrow \infty} c_n = 0$  and  $\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} |\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_k)| (\ln(\|\mathbf{k}\| + 1))^{m-1}$  converges. If  $\{\Phi_{i,n}\}_{n=1}^\infty \subset C[0, \pi]$  ( $i = 1, \dots, m$ ) and

$$\max_{i=1, \dots, m} \left\{ \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \|\Phi_{i,n}\|_\infty + \sup_{x_i \in (0, \pi)} \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left| \frac{\Phi_{i,n}(x_i) - \Phi_{i,n}(0)}{nx_i} \right| + \sup_{x_i \in [0, \pi]} \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left| \sum_{k=1}^n x_i \Phi_{i,k}(x_i) \right| \right\} < \infty,$$

then the multiple series  $\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} c_k \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{\Phi_{i,k_i}(x_i)}{k_i}$  converges regularly for all  $x \in (0, \pi)^m$  and

$$\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0} \left\{ \sum_{1 \leq k \leq (\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_1} \rfloor, \dots, \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_m} \rfloor)} c_k \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{\Phi_{i,k_i}(0)}{k_i} - \sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} c_k \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{\Phi_{i,k_i}(\delta_i)}{k_i} \right\} = 0. \quad (5)$$

Moreover,

$$\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} c_k \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{\Phi_{i,k_i}(0)}{k_i} \text{ converges regularly} \Leftrightarrow \lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0} \sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} c_k \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{\Phi_{i,k_i}(\delta_i)}{k_i} \text{ exists.} \quad (6)$$

**Proof.** In view of Lemma 4.1 we may assume that

$$\lim_{\|\mathbf{k}\| \rightarrow \infty} c_{\mathbf{k}} = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_{\mathbf{k}}) \geq 0 \quad (\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m). \quad (7)$$

Since  $\min_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} \ln(\|\mathbf{k}\| + 1) \geq \ln 2 > \frac{1}{2}$ , the first assertion is an easy consequence of Theorem 3.3. To prove (5) we may assume that

$$\max_{i=1, \dots, m} \left\{ \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \|\Phi_{i,n}\|_{\infty} + \sup_{x_i \in (0, \pi)} \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left| \frac{\Phi_{i,n}(x_i) - \Phi_{i,n}(0)}{nx_i} \right| + \sup_{x_i \in [0, \pi]} \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left| \sum_{k=1}^n x_i \Phi_{i,k}(x_i) \right| \right\} \leq \frac{1}{2}.$$

Set  $\Psi_{\mathbf{k}}(\mathbf{x}) := \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{\Phi_{i,k_i}(x_i)}{k_i}$  and let  $\delta \in (0, 1)^m$  be given. We claim that

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{1 \leq k_i \leq (\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor, \dots, \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_m} \rfloor)} c_{\mathbf{k}} \Psi_{\mathbf{k}}(\mathbf{0}) - \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} c_{\mathbf{k}} \Psi_{\mathbf{k}}(\delta) \right| \\ & \leq \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{1}{\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor} \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ 1 \leq k_i \leq \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor}} \frac{k_i c_{\mathbf{k}}}{\prod_{j=1}^m k_j} + \sum_{\emptyset \neq \Gamma \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} 12^m \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ k_i \geq \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor \quad \forall i \in \Gamma}} (\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_{\mathbf{k}})) (\ln(\|\mathbf{k}\| + 1))^{m-1}. \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

Set  $\Gamma' := \{1, \dots, m\} \setminus \Gamma$  ( $\Gamma \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}$ ). Then, by the triangle inequality,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \sum_{1 \leq k_i \leq (\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor, \dots, \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_m} \rfloor)} c_{\mathbf{k}} \Psi_{\mathbf{k}}(\mathbf{0}) - \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} c_{\mathbf{k}} \Psi_{\mathbf{k}}(\delta) \right| \\ & \leq \sum_{1 \leq k_i \leq (\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor, \dots, \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_m} \rfloor)} c_{\mathbf{k}} |\Psi_{\mathbf{k}}(\mathbf{0}) - \Psi_{\mathbf{k}}(\delta)| + \sum_{\emptyset \neq \Gamma \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} \left| \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ k_i > \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor \quad \forall i \in \Gamma \\ 1 \leq k_i \leq \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor \quad \forall i \in \Gamma'}} c_{\mathbf{k}} \Psi_{\mathbf{k}}(\delta) \right| \\ & := S + \sum_{\emptyset \neq \Gamma \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} |T_{\Gamma}|. \end{aligned} \quad (9)$$

A direct application of Lemma 4.2 yields

$$S \leq \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{1}{\lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor} \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ 1 \leq k_i \leq \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor}} \frac{k_i c_{\mathbf{k}}}{\prod_{j=1}^m k_j}. \quad (10)$$

On the other hand, for each fixed non-empty  $\Gamma \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}$ ,

$$T_{\Gamma} = \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ k_i = \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor \quad \forall i \in \Gamma \\ 1 \leq k_i \leq \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor \quad \forall i \in \Gamma'}} \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{j} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ j_i > k_i \quad \forall i \in \Gamma \\ j_i = k_i \quad \forall i \in \Gamma'}} c_{\mathbf{j}} \Psi_{\mathbf{j}}(\delta)$$

so that

$$|T_{\Gamma}| \leq \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ k_i = \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor \quad \forall i \in \Gamma \\ k_i \geq 1 \quad \forall i \in \Gamma'}} \left| \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{j} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ j_i > k_i \quad \forall i \in \Gamma \\ j_i = k_i \quad \forall i \in \Gamma'}} c_{\mathbf{j}} \prod_{i \in \Gamma} \frac{\Phi_{i,j_i}(\delta_i)}{j_i} \right| \prod_{i \in \Gamma'} \frac{1}{k_i}.$$

Using (7) and Theorem 3.3 we get

$$|T_\Gamma| \leq \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ k_i = \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor \forall i \in \Gamma \\ k_i \geq 1 \forall i \in \Gamma'}} \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{j} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ j_i = k_i \forall i \in \Gamma \\ j_i = k_i \forall i \in \Gamma'}} \frac{c_j}{\prod_{i \in \Gamma} j_i} \prod_{i \in \Gamma} \frac{2}{\delta_i} \prod_{i \in \Gamma'} \frac{1}{k_i}. \quad (11)$$

Let  $R_\Gamma$  denote the right-hand side of (11). Then

$$\begin{aligned} R_\Gamma &\leq 4^m \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ k_i = \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor \forall i \in \Gamma \\ k_i \geq 1 \forall i \in \Gamma'}} c_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i \in \Gamma'} \frac{1}{k_i} \\ &= 4^m \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ k_i = \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor \forall i \in \Gamma \\ k_i \geq 1 \forall i \in \Gamma'}} \left\{ \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{r} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ r_i \geq k_i \forall i \in \{1, \dots, m\}}} \Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_{\mathbf{r}}) \right\} \prod_{i \in \Gamma'} \frac{1}{k_i} \quad (\text{by (7)}) \\ &= 4^m \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{r} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ r_i \geq \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor \forall i \in \Gamma \\ r_i \geq 1 \forall i \in \Gamma'}} \Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_{\mathbf{r}}) \prod_{i \in \Gamma'} \sum_{k_i=1}^{r_i} \frac{1}{k_i} \quad (\text{using (7) and interchanging the order of summation}) \\ &\leq 12^m \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ k_i \geq \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor \forall i \in \Gamma}} (\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_{\mathbf{k}})) (\ln(\|\mathbf{k}\| + 1))^{m-1} \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

because  $\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{k} \leq 3 \ln(n+1)$  ( $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ) and the cardinality of  $\Gamma$  is at most  $m$ . Combining (9)–(12) yields (8) to be proved.

Following the proof of (12) we get

$$\sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ k_i = \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor}} \frac{k_i c_{\mathbf{k}}}{\prod_{j=1}^m k_j} \leq 3^{m-1} \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ k_i \geq \lfloor \frac{1}{\delta_i} \rfloor}} (\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_{\mathbf{k}})) (\ln(\|\mathbf{k}\| + 1))^{m-1} \quad (13)$$

for  $i = 1, \dots, m$ . Hence the assumption

$$\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} |\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(c_{\mathbf{k}})| (\ln(\|\mathbf{k}\| + 1))^{m-1} < \infty$$

and (8) yield (5) to be proved.

It is now easy to obtain (6) as a consequence of Theorem 3.2. We infer from (5) that  $\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} c_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{\Phi_{i, k_i}(0)}{k_i}$  converges in the sense of Pringsheim if and only if

$$\lim_{\substack{\delta \rightarrow \mathbf{0} \\ \delta \in (0, \pi]^m}} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} c_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{\Phi_{i, k_i}(\delta_i)}{k_i}$$

exists. From the proof of (13) it is clear that for  $j \in \{1, \dots, m\}$  and for all fixed integral values of  $d_j$ , the  $(m-1)$ -multiple series

$$\sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ k_j = d_j}} \frac{c_{\mathbf{k}}}{\prod_{i=1}^m k_i}$$

are regularly convergent. An appeal to Theorem 3.2 completes the proof.  $\square$

## 5. An integrability theorem for multiple sine series

The main result of this section is Theorem 5.2, which gives an affirmative answer to a conjecture of Móricz [3, Remark 1(i)]. We need a lemma.

**Lemma 5.1.** *Let  $\{b_k: k \in \mathbb{N}^m\}$  be a multiple sequence of real numbers such that  $\lim_{\|k\| \rightarrow \infty} b_k = 0$  and  $\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} |\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(b_k)| (\ln(\|k\| + 1))^{m-1}$  converges. If  $\Gamma \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}$  is non-empty, then*

$$\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} b_k \prod_{i \in \Gamma} \frac{(-1)^{k_i-1}}{k_i} \prod_{i \in \Gamma'} \frac{1}{k_i}$$

*is regularly convergent.*

**Proof.** In view of Lemma 4.1, we may assume that  $\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(b_k) \geq 0$  for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}^m$ . If  $p, q \in \mathbb{N}^m$  with  $q \geq p$ , then a single summation by parts gives

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \sum_{p \leq k \leq q} b_k \prod_{i \in \Gamma} \frac{(-1)^{k_i-1}}{k_i} \prod_{i \in \Gamma'} \frac{1}{k_i} \right| &\leq 2 \sum_{\substack{p \leq k \leq q \\ k_\ell = p_\ell}} b_k \prod_{\substack{i=1 \\ i \neq \ell}}^m \frac{1}{k_i} \quad \text{for some } \ell \in \Gamma \\ &\leq 3^m \sum_{\substack{k \in \mathbb{N}^m \\ k \geq p}} (\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(b_k)) (\ln(\|k\| + 1))^{m-1}. \end{aligned}$$

It is now easy to check that the lemma holds.  $\square$

**Theorem 5.2.** *Let  $\{b_k: k \in \mathbb{N}^m\}$  be a multiple sequence of real numbers such that  $\lim_{\|k\| \rightarrow \infty} b_k = 0$  and  $\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} |\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(b_k)| (\ln(\|k\| + 1))^{m-1}$  converges. Then the multiple series  $\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} \frac{b_k}{\prod_{i=1}^m k_i}$  converges regularly if and only if*

$$\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\delta_i, \pi]} \sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} b_k \prod_{i=1}^m \sin k_i x_i \, dx \quad \text{exists.} \quad (14)$$

**Proof.** We apply Theorem 4.3 with  $c_k = b_k$  and  $\Phi_{i,k}(x) = \int_x^\pi k \sin kt \, dt$  ( $i = 1, \dots, m$ ) to conclude that (14) holds if and only if the multiple series

$$\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} \frac{b_k}{\prod_{i=1}^m k_i} \prod_{i=1}^m \int_{[0, \pi]} k_i \sin k_i x_i \, dx_i \quad \text{converges regularly.} \quad (15)$$

To this end, it remains to show that (15) holds if and only if  $\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} \frac{b_k}{\prod_{i=1}^m k_i}$  is regularly convergent. But this assertion is a consequence of Lemma 5.1, since

$$\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} \left\{ \frac{b_k}{\prod_{i=1}^m k_i} \prod_{i=1}^m \int_{[0, \pi]} k_i \sin k_i x_i \, dx_i - \frac{b_k}{\prod_{i=1}^m k_i} \right\}$$

can be written as a finite sum of regularly convergent multiple series

$$\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} \left\{ \frac{b_k}{\prod_{i=1}^m k_i} \prod_{i=1}^m \int_{[0, \pi]} k_i \sin k_i x_i \, dx_i - \frac{b_k}{\prod_{i=1}^m k_i} \right\} = \sum_{\emptyset \neq \Gamma \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}^m} b_k \prod_{i \in \Gamma} \frac{(-1)^{k_i-1}}{k_i} \prod_{i \in \Gamma'} \frac{1}{k_i}.$$

The proof is complete.  $\square$



## 6. An integrability theorem for multiple cosine series

Let  $\mathbb{N}_0 := \mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}$ . The main result of this section is Theorem 6.3, which gives an affirmative answer to another conjecture of Móricz [3, Remark 3(iii)]. We need two lemmas.

**Lemma 6.1.** *Let  $\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} a_{\mathbf{k}}$  be an absolutely convergent multiple series of real numbers such that*

$$\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} a_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \lambda_{k_i} \cos k_i x_i = 0 \quad \text{for all } \mathbf{x} \in [0, \pi]^m \setminus (0, \pi)^m.$$

*If  $\mathbf{x} \in [0, \pi]^m$ , then*

$$\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} a_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \lambda_{k_i} \cos k_i x_i = (-1)^m \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} a_{\mathbf{k}+1} \prod_{i=1}^m (1 - \cos(k_i + 1)x_i). \quad (16)$$

**Proof.** For the case when  $m = 1$ , it is easy to check that (16) holds. Since

$$\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} a_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \lambda_{k_i} \cos k_i x_i = \sum_{k_1=0}^{\infty} \left\{ \sum_{k_2=0}^{\infty} \left\{ \cdots \left\{ \sum_{k_m=0}^{\infty} a_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \lambda_{k_i} \cos k_i x_i \right\} \cdots \right\} \right\},$$

the lemma follows.  $\square$

**Lemma 6.2.** *Let  $\{a_{\mathbf{k}}: \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m\}$  be given as in Lemma 6.1, let  $\Gamma \subset \{1, \dots, m\}$ , and let  $\bigcup_{\ell \in \Gamma} \{c_{\ell}\} \subset \mathbb{N}_0$ . Then*

$$\sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m \\ k_{\ell} = c_{\ell} \quad \forall \ell \in \Gamma \\ k_{\ell} \geq 0 \quad \forall \ell \in \Gamma'}} \left( \prod_{i \in \Gamma'} \lambda_{k_i} \right) (a_{\mathbf{k}}) = 0.$$

**Proof.** We may assume that  $\Gamma$  is non-empty. In this case, we have

$$\sum_{\substack{\mathbf{r} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m \\ r_{\ell} \geq 0 \quad \forall \ell \in \Gamma \\ r_{\ell} = 0 \quad \forall \ell \in \Gamma'}} \left\{ \prod_{i \in \Gamma} \lambda_{r_i} \cos r_i t_i \right\} \left\{ \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m \\ k_{\ell} = r_{\ell} \quad \forall \ell \in \Gamma \\ k_{\ell} \geq r_{\ell} \quad \forall \ell \in \Gamma'}} \left( \prod_{i \in \Gamma'} \lambda_{k_i} \cos k_i(0) \right) (a_{\mathbf{k}}) \right\} = 0$$

whenever  $0 < t_i \leq \pi$  for each  $i \in \Gamma$ . Since

$$\sum_{\substack{\mathbf{r} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m \\ r_{\ell} \geq 0 \quad \forall \ell \in \Gamma \\ r_{\ell} = 0 \quad \forall \ell \in \Gamma'}} \left| \sum_{\substack{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m \\ k_{\ell} = r_{\ell} \quad \forall \ell \in \Gamma \\ k_{\ell} \geq r_{\ell} \quad \forall \ell \in \Gamma'}} \left( \prod_{i \in \Gamma'} \lambda_{k_i} \cos k_i(0) \right) (a_{\mathbf{k}}) \right| \leq \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} |a_{\mathbf{k}}| < \infty,$$

it is clear that the lemma holds.  $\square$

**Theorem 6.3.** *Let  $\{a_{\mathbf{k}}: \mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m\}$  be a multiple sequence of real numbers such that the multiple series  $\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} |a_{\mathbf{k}}| (\ln(\|\mathbf{k}\| + 2))^{m-1}$  converges and  $\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} a_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \lambda_{k_i} \cos k_i x_i = 0$  for all  $\mathbf{x} \in [0, \pi]^m \setminus (0, \pi)^m$ . Let*

$$f_1(\mathbf{x}) := \begin{cases} (\prod_{i=1}^m x_i)^{-1} (\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} a_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \lambda_{k_i} \cos k_i x_i) & \text{if } \mathbf{x} \in (0, \pi)^m, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

*Then the multiple series  $\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{1}{k_i} \sum_{0 \leq j \leq k} a_j \prod_{i=1}^m \lambda_{j_i}$  converges regularly if and only if*

$$\lim_{\substack{\delta \rightarrow 0 \\ \delta \in (0, \pi]^m}} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\delta_i, \pi]} f_1(\mathbf{x}) d\mathbf{x} \quad \text{exists.}$$

**Proof.** Let  $\mathbf{x} \in (0, \pi]^m$  and set  $A_{\mathbf{k}} := \sum_{0 \leq j \leq \mathbf{k}} a_j \prod_{i=1}^m \lambda_{j_i}$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 f_1(\mathbf{x}) &= \frac{(-1)^m}{\prod_{i=1}^m x_i} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} a_{\mathbf{k}+1} \prod_{i=1}^m (1 - \cos(k_i + 1)x_i) \quad (\text{by Lemma 6.1}) \\
 &= \frac{1}{\prod_{i=1}^m x_i} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} \Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(A_{\mathbf{k}}) \prod_{i=1}^m \sum_{j_i=0}^{k_i} (\cos j_i x_i - \cos(j_i + 1)x_i) \\
 &= \frac{1}{\prod_{i=1}^m x_i} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} A_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m (\cos k_i x_i - \cos(k_i + 1)x_i) \\
 &= \left\{ \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{2 \sin \frac{x_i}{2}}{x_i} \right\} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} A_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \left( \sin k_i x_i \cos \frac{x_i}{2} + \cos k_i x_i \sin \frac{x_i}{2} \right) \\
 &= \left\{ \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{2 \sin \frac{x_i}{2}}{x_i} \right\} \sum_{\Gamma \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} A_{\mathbf{k}} \left\{ \prod_{i \in \Gamma} \sin k_i x_i \cos \frac{x_i}{2} \right\} \left\{ \prod_{i \notin \Gamma} \cos k_i x_i \sin \frac{x_i}{2} \right\} \\
 &= \left\{ \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{2 \sin \frac{x_i}{2}}{x_i} \right\} \sum_{\Gamma \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} A_{\mathbf{k}} \left\{ \prod_{i \in \Gamma} \sin k_i x_i \cos \frac{x_i}{2} \right\} \left\{ \prod_{i \notin \Gamma} \cos k_i x_i \sin \frac{x_i}{2} \right\} \\
 &\quad + \left\{ \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{\sin x_i}{x_i} \right\} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} A_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \sin k_i x_i \\
 &= g_1(\mathbf{x}) + g_2(\mathbf{x}) \quad (\text{say}).
 \end{aligned}$$

We write  $B_{\mathbf{k}} := \Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(A_{\mathbf{k}})$ . Then, by multiple summation by parts,

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\sup_{\Gamma \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} \int_{[0, \pi]^m} \left| \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} A_{\mathbf{k}} \left\{ \prod_{i \in \Gamma} \sin k_i x_i \cos \frac{x_i}{2} \right\} \left\{ \prod_{i \notin \Gamma} \cos k_i x_i \sin \frac{x_i}{2} \right\} \right| d\mathbf{x} \\
 &\leq \sup_{\Gamma \subseteq \{1, \dots, m\}} \int_{[0, \pi]^m} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} |B_{\mathbf{k}}| \left| \prod_{i \in \Gamma} \sum_{j_i=0}^{k_i} \sin j_i x_i \cos \frac{x_i}{2} \right| \left| \prod_{i \notin \Gamma} \sum_{j_i=0}^{k_i} \cos j_i x_i \sin \frac{x_i}{2} \right| d\mathbf{x} \\
 &= O\left( \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} |a_{\mathbf{k}}| (\ln(\|\mathbf{k}\| + 2))^{m-1} \right) \\
 &< \infty,
 \end{aligned}$$

so  $g_1 \in L^1([0, \pi]^m)$ . To complete the proof, it remains to prove that the following statements are equivalent:

- (a)  $\lim_{\substack{\delta \rightarrow 0 \\ \delta \in (0, \pi]^m}} \int_{\prod_{i=1}^m [\delta_i, \pi]} g_2(\mathbf{x}) d\mathbf{x}$  exists.
- (b)  $\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} A_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \int_0^\pi \frac{\sin x_i \sin k_i x_i}{x_i} dx_i$  converges regularly.
- (c)  $\sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}_0^m} A_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{1}{k_i}$  converges regularly.

(a)  $\Leftrightarrow$  (b). Direct computations yield

$$\sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sup_{x \in [0, \pi]} \left| \int_x^\pi \frac{n \sin t \sin nt}{t} dt \right| \leq 2 < \infty, \quad \sup_{x \in (0, \pi)} \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \frac{1}{nx} \left| \int_0^x \frac{n \sin t \sin nt}{t} dt \right| < \infty,$$

and

$$\sup_{x \in [0, \pi]} \sup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left| x \sum_{k=1}^n \int_x^\pi \frac{k \sin t \sin kt}{t} dt \right| \leq 2 + 2\pi < \infty,$$

so Theorem 4.3 implies that (a) is equivalent to (b).

Finally (b) is equivalent to (c) since

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} |A_{\mathbf{k}}| \left| \prod_{i=1}^m \frac{1}{k_i} - \prod_{i=1}^m \int_0^\pi \frac{\sin x_i \sin k_i x_i}{x_i} dx_i \right| \\ & \leq \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} |A_{\mathbf{k}}| \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^m \left( \prod_{i=1}^{j-1} \frac{1}{k_i} \right) \left| \prod_{i=j+1}^m \int_0^\pi \frac{\sin x_i \sin k_i x_i}{x_i} dx_i \right| \left| \frac{1}{k_j} - \int_0^\pi \frac{\sin x_j \sin k_j x_j}{x_j} dx_j \right| \right\} \quad (\text{by Lemma 4.2}) \\ & = \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} O \left\{ |A_{\mathbf{k}}| \left( \prod_{i=1}^{j-1} \frac{1}{k_i} \right) \left( \prod_{i=j+1}^m \frac{1}{k_i} \right) \left| \int_0^\pi \frac{\cos k_j x_j}{k_j} \frac{d}{dx_j} \left( \frac{\sin x_j}{x_j} \right) dx_j \right| \right\} \quad (\text{by integration by parts}) \\ & = \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} O \left\{ |A_{\mathbf{k}}| \left( \prod_{i=1}^{j-1} \frac{1}{k_i} \right) \left( \prod_{i=j+1}^m \frac{1}{k_i} \right) \frac{1}{k_j^2} \right\} \quad (\text{by integration by parts again}) \\ & = \sum_{j=1}^m O \left( \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} \left| \sum_{r \geq \mathbf{k}} \Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(A_r) \right| \left\{ \left( \prod_{i=1}^{j-1} \frac{1}{k_i} \right) \left( \prod_{i=j+1}^m \frac{1}{k_i} \right) \frac{1}{k_j^2} \right\} \right) \\ & = O \left( \sum_{\mathbf{k} \in \mathbb{N}^m} |\Delta_{\{1, \dots, m\}}(A_{\mathbf{k}})| (\ln(\|\mathbf{k}\| + 1))^{m-1} \right) \\ & < \infty. \end{aligned}$$

The proof is complete.  $\square$

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